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Serial No.: 09/060,872

Filed: April 15, 1998

For: Mutant Proteins Having Lower Allergenic

Response in Humans and Methods for

Constructing, Identifying and Producing Such

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Box AF Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 7, 2003, enclosed please find the following document: Amendment and Response to Final Office Action.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-1048 (Docket No. GC527). A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date:

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED JANUARY 7, 2003

Box AF Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir.

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 7, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks. Applicants are submitting this Response within two months of date of the Final Office Action in order to provoke an Advisory Action.

A clean version of the rewritten, added, and/or cancelled claims with instructions for entry pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121 (c)(1)(i) is included beginning on page 2 of this communication. A marked-up version of rewritten, added, and/or cancelled claims pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121 (c)(1)(ii) is attached as Appendix I. A clean version of the entire set of pending claims pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.121 (c)(3) as they would appear following entry of this amendment is attached as Appendix II. None of the amendments

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